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In re Application of: Andrew S. Van Luchene

Serial No.: 09/777,297

Filing Date: February 6, 2001

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING OFFERS THAT ARE

PROVIDED AT A POINT-OF-SALE

TERMINAL

Attorney Docket No: 97-564X

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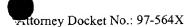
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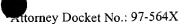
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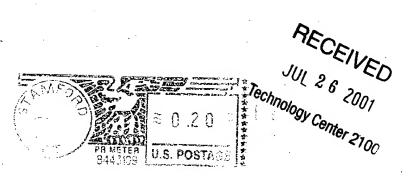
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